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ROBERT W. STAHMAN Vice President, General Counsel and Secretary

August 8, 2002

**VIA Federal Express** 

OFFICE OF THE SECONTARY

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Jonathon G. Katz Secretary Securities and Exchange Commission 450 Fifth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20549

Re:

SEC Order No. 4-460 CEO/CFO Certifications

Dear Mr. Katz:

Enclosed please find two executed copies of the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer certifications referenced above for IDACORP, Inc.

Would you please date-stamp one set, place them in the stamped, self-addressed envelope and return. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

Robert W. Stahman

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## STATEMENT UNDER OATH OF PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER REGARDING FACTS AND CIRCUMSTANCES RELATING TO EXCHANGE ACT FILINGS

I, Jan B. Packwood, Chief Executive Officer of IDACORP, Inc., state and attest that:

- To the best of my knowledge, based upon a review of the covered reports of IDACORP, **(1)** Inc., and, except as corrected or supplemented in a subsequent covered report:
  - no covered report contained an untrue statement of a material fact as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed); and
  - no covered report omitted to state a material fact necessary to make the statements in the covered report, in light of the circumstances under which they were made, not misleading as of the end of the period covered by such report (or in the case of a report on Form 8-K or definitive proxy materials, as of the date on which it was filed).
- **(2)** I have reviewed the contents of this statement with the Audit Committee of the Company's Board of Directors.
- In this statement under oath, each of the following, if filed on or before the date of this (3) statement, is a "covered report":
  - Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2001 of IDACORP, Inc.;
  - All reports on Form 10-Q, all reports on Form 8-K and all definitive proxy materials of IDACORP, Inc. filed with the Commission subsequent to the filing of the Form 10-K identified above; and

Any amendment to any of the foregoing.

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Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of August, 2002.

My Commission Expires: 7/17/2004